

Stricken language would be deleted from and underlined language would be added to the law as it existed prior to this session of the General Assembly.

1 State of Arkansas  
2 86th General Assembly  
3 Regular Session, 2007  
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*As Engrossed: H3/2/07*  
**A Bill**

HOUSE BILL 1541

5 By: Joint Budget Committee  
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**For An Act To Be Entitled**

9 AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL  
10 SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE  
11 UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT LITTLE ROCK FOR THE  
12 BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2009; AND FOR  
13 OTHER PURPOSES.  
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**Subtitle**

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16 AN ACT FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS  
17 AT LITTLE ROCK APPROPRIATION FOR THE  
18 2007-2009 BIENNIUM.  
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22 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:  
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24 SECTION 1. REGULAR SALARIES - OPERATIONS. There is hereby established for  
25 the University of Arkansas at Little Rock for the 2007-2009 biennium, the  
26 following maximum number of regular employees whose salaries shall be  
27 governed by the provisions of the Uniform Classification and Compensation Act  
28 (Arkansas Code §§21-5-201 et seq.), or its successor, and all laws amendatory  
29 thereto. Provided, however, that any position to which a specific maximum  
30 annual salary is set out herein in dollars, shall be exempt from the  
31 provisions of said Uniform Classification and Compensation Act. All persons  
32 occupying positions authorized herein are hereby governed by the provisions  
33 of the Regular Salaries Procedures and Restrictions Act (Arkansas Code §21-5-  
34 101), or its successor.  
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Maximum Annual



1		Maximum	Salary Rate
2	Item	No. of	Fiscal Years
3	No. Title	Employees	2007-2008 2008-2009
4	<u>TWELVE MONTH EDUCATIONAL AND GENERAL</u>		
5	<u>ADMINISTRATIVE POSITIONS</u>		
6	(1) Chancellor, U of A at Little Rock	1	\$161,728 \$164,963
7	(2) Dean of Law School	1	\$155,239 \$158,344
8	(3) Provost & VCAA	1	\$137,410 \$137,410
9	(4) Vice Chan. for Finance & Admin.	1	\$133,359 \$136,026
10	(5) Vice Chan. for Educational Services	1	\$131,333 \$133,960
11	(6) Vice Chan. for Univ. Advancement	1	\$131,333 \$133,960
12	(7) Dean of Business Administration	1	\$130,283 \$132,889
13	(8) Dean of Science & Math	1	\$130,283 \$132,889
14	(9) Dean of Schools/Colleges	5	\$127,282 \$129,828
15	(10) Assoc. Vice-Chancellor	4	\$115,420 \$117,728
16	(11) Exec. Assist. to the Chancellor	1	\$115,420 \$117,728
17	(12) Dir. Ark. Institute Econ. Advancement	1	\$114,746 \$117,041
18	(13) Dir. of Ark. Institute of Government	1	\$114,746 \$117,041
19	(14) Director of Univ. Communications	1	\$114,746 \$117,041
20	(15) Director of Library	1	\$113,434 \$115,703
21	(16) Director of Computing Services	1	\$111,782 \$114,018
22	(17) Director of Arkansas SBDC	1	\$109,939 \$112,138
23	(18) Director of Mgt Systems & Planning	1	\$109,939 \$112,138
24	(19) Division Chief	3	\$109,939 \$112,138
25	(20) Controller	1	\$102,961 \$105,020
26	(21) Dir. of Administrative Services	1	\$102,961 \$105,020
27	(22) Dir. of Res. and Sponsored Programs	1	\$102,695 \$104,749
28	(23) Associate Dean	5	\$102,004 \$104,044
29	(24) Physician	1	\$97,382 \$99,330
30	(25) Director of Physical Plant	1	\$96,915 \$98,853
31	(26) Assistant Dean	3	\$96,728 \$98,663
32	(27) Dir. of Instructional/Faculty Dev	1	\$92,629 \$94,482
33	(28) Director of Admissions & Records	1	\$92,629 \$94,482
34	(29) Dir of Corp. & Foundation Relations	2	\$91,646 \$93,479
35	(30) Director of Annual Giving	1	\$91,646 \$93,479
36	(31) Dir. of Counseling Services	1	\$91,646 \$93,479

1	(32)	Director of Planned Giving	1	\$91,646	\$93,479
2	(33)	Dir. Of Continuing Education	1	\$86,828	\$88,565
3	(34)	Assoc. Dir. Computing Services	4	\$85,584	\$87,296
4	(35)	Dir. of Financial Aid	1	\$83,680	\$85,354
5	(36)	Director of Cooperative Educ. Prog.	1	\$81,474	\$83,103
6	(37)	Dir. of Community Partnerships	1	\$81,474	\$83,103
7	(38)	Dir. Student Development Center	1	\$80,467	\$82,076
8	(39)	Project/Program Administrator	25		
9		Project/Program Director		\$80,364	\$81,971
10		Project/Program Manager		\$72,829	\$74,286
11		Project/Program Specialist		\$62,836	\$64,093
12	(40)	Business Manager	1	\$78,365	\$79,932
13	(41)	Assoc. Dean of Students	2	\$77,923	\$79,481
14	(42)	Director of Admissions	1	\$77,923	\$79,481
15	(43)	Assoc. Dir Research & Sponsored Prog	1	\$75,351	\$76,858
16	(44)	Budget Director	1	\$74,727	\$76,222
17	(45)	Dir. of Adm. & Registrar/Law	1	\$74,180	\$75,664
18	(46)	Development Officer	5	\$72,538	\$73,989
19	(47)	Coord. of Cooperative Education	1	\$72,162	\$73,605
20	(48)	Director of Health Services	1	\$71,836	\$73,273
21	(49)	Research Coordinator	2	\$69,920	\$71,318
22	(50)	Director of Alumni Relations	1	\$67,289	\$68,635
23	(51)	Director of Testing Services	1	\$66,928	\$68,267
24	(52)	APAC Coordinator	1	\$66,028	\$67,349
25	(53)	Director of Student Activities	1	\$64,793	\$66,089
26	(54)	Computer Systems Mgr.	1	\$64,523	\$65,813
27	(55)	Director of Disability Services	1	\$63,114	\$64,376
28	(56)	Student Development Specialist	28	\$63,114	\$64,376
29	(57)	Coord. of Intramural Activities	1	\$61,215	\$62,439
30	(58)	Assoc Dir of Financial Aid	1	\$58,861	\$60,038
31	(59)	Job Developer/Cooperative Ed. Prog.	1	\$58,590	\$59,762
32	(60)	Academic Counselor	6	\$55,852	\$56,969
33	(61)	Institutional Assistant	23	\$53,270	\$54,335
34		<u>TWELVE MONTH EDUCATIONAL AND GENERAL</u>			
35		<u>CLASSIFIED POSITIONS</u>			
36	(62)	Systems Analyst III - Inst	2		GRADE 24

1	(63)	Database Coordinator II - Inst	1	GRADE 23
2	(64)	DP Production Manager I - Inst	1	GRADE 23
3	(65)	Computer Support Spec III -Inst	2	GRADE 22
4	(66)	Systems Analyst II - Inst	1	GRADE 22
5	(67)	Accounting Supervisor II	3	GRADE 21
6	(68)	HE Public Safety Commander I	2	GRADE 21
7	(69)	Inst Personnel Svcs Manager	1	GRADE 21
8	(70)	Accounting Supervisor I	2	GRADE 20
9	(71)	Computer Support Spec II-Inst	5	GRADE 20
10	(72)	Counselor II	2	GRADE 20
11	(73)	DP Network Technician II - Inst	2	GRADE 20
12	(74)	Editor	1	GRADE 20
13	(75)	HE Public Safety Supervisor	6	GRADE 20
14	(76)	Plant Maintenance Coordinator	1	GRADE 20
15	(77)	Program Coordinator	17	GRADE 20
16	(78)	Student Health Services Nurse II	1	GRADE 20
17	(79)	Systems Analyst I -Inst	2	GRADE 20
18	(80)	Budget Specialist	1	GRADE 19
19	(81)	Buyer	6	GRADE 19
20	(82)	Research Project Analyst	2	GRADE 19
21	(83)	Accountant	20	GRADE 18
22	(84)	Assistant Registrar	1	GRADE 18
23	(85)	Computer Support Spec I -Inst	5	GRADE 18
24	(86)	DP Network Technician I - Inst	1	GRADE 18
25	(87)	HE Public Safety Officer II	11	GRADE 18
26	(88)	Payroll Services Specialist	1	GRADE 18
27	(89)	Personnel Assistant II -Inst	1	GRADE 18
28	(90)	Plant Maintenance Supervisor	1	GRADE 18
29	(91)	Plant Warehouse Foreman	1	GRADE 18
30	(92)	Safety Supervisor	1	GRADE 18
31	(93)	Skilled Trades Supervisor	3	GRADE 18
32	(94)	Administrative Assistant II	27	GRADE 17
33	(95)	DP Operations Supervisor I -Inst	1	GRADE 17
34	(96)	Instrumentation Technician II	1	GRADE 17
35	(97)	Landscape Supervisor II	1	GRADE 17
36	(98)	Logistics Manager	1	GRADE 17

1	(99)	Multimedia Specialist	2	GRADE 17
2	(100)	Program Advisor	7	GRADE 17
3	(101)	Skilled Trades Worker	24	GRADE 17
4	(102)	Stationary Engineer	6	GRADE 17
5	(103)	Theatre Arts Tech Supervisor	1	GRADE 17
6	(104)	Computer Technician II -Inst	1	GRADE 16
7	(105)	HE Public Safety Officer I	4	GRADE 16
8	(106)	Accounting Technician II	10	GRADE 15
9	(107)	Administrative Assistant I	25	GRADE 15
10	(108)	Administrative Office Supervisor	13	GRADE 15
11	(109)	Insurance Representative	1	GRADE 15
12	(110)	Landscape Supervisor I	1	GRADE 15
13	(111)	Administrative Secretary	49	GRADE 14
14	(112)	Audiovisual Technician	1	GRADE 14
15	(113)	Computer Technician I -Inst	3	GRADE 14
16	(114)	Library Academic Technician III	12	GRADE 14
17	(115)	Medical/Legal Secretary	1	GRADE 14
18	(116)	Computer Lab Tech - Inst	1	GRADE 13
19	(117)	Secretary II	6	GRADE 13
20	(118)	Documents Examiner II	1	GRADE 12
21	(119)	HE Public Safety Dispatcher	5	GRADE 12
22	(120)	HE Public Safety Sec Officer I	1	GRADE 12
23	(121)	Library Academic Technician II	10	GRADE 12
24	(122)	Registrar's Assistant	2	GRADE 12
25	(123)	Apprentice Tradesman	1	GRADE 11
26	(124)	Assistant Lab Animal Technician	1	GRADE 11
27	(125)	Secretary I	1	GRADE 11
28	(126)	Shipping & Receiving Clerk	1	GRADE 11
29	(127)	Mail Officer	2	GRADE 09
30	(128)	Custodial Supervisor II	3	GRADE 08
31	(129)	Maintenance Worker II	3	GRADE 05
32	(130)	Custodial Worker II	9	GRADE 04
33	(131)	Maintenance Worker I	7	GRADE 04
34	(132)	Custodial Worker I	47	GRADE 03

35 TWELVE MONTH EDUCATIONAL AND GENERAL  
 36 ACADEMIC POSITIONS

1	(133)	Department Chairperson	31	\$119,175	\$121,559
2	(134)	Faculty	50		
3		Professor		\$117,149	\$119,492
4		Assoc. Professor		\$109,041	\$111,222
5		Asst. Professor - GIT		\$107,015	\$109,155
6		Asst. Professor		\$92,744	\$94,599
7		Instructor		\$76,240	\$77,765
8	(135)	Research/Extension Specialist	48		
9		Senior Research/Extension Spec		\$117,149	\$119,492
10		Research/Extension Specialist		\$109,042	\$111,223
11		Associate Research/Extension Spec		\$92,744	\$94,599
12		Assistant Research/Extension Spec		\$72,494	\$73,944
13	(136)	Research Support	98		
14		Research Associate		\$86,750	\$88,485
15		Research Assistant - GIT		\$59,739	\$60,934
16		Research Assistant		\$51,930	\$52,969
17	(137)	Librarian	11	\$66,434	\$67,763
18	(138)	Extension Assistant	2	\$51,930	\$52,969
19		<u>NINE MONTH EDUCATION AND GENERAL</u>			
20		<u>ACADEMIC POSITIONS</u>			
21	(139)	Faculty	400		
22		Distinguished Prof. - Law School		\$142,928	\$145,787
23		Professor - Law School		\$133,561	\$136,232
24		Distinguished Professor		\$131,224	\$133,848
25		University Professor		\$124,591	\$127,083
26		Professor		\$115,124	\$117,426
27		Assoc. Professor - Law School		\$115,124	\$117,426
28		Asst. Professor - Law School		\$107,015	\$109,155
29		Assoc. Professor		\$100,934	\$102,953
30		Asst. Professor		\$84,492	\$86,182
31		Instructor		\$65,927	\$67,246
32	(140)	Lecturer	324	\$53,270	\$54,335
33	(141)	Graduate Assistant	210	\$20,655	\$21,068
34		<u>TWELVE MONTH AUXILIARY ENTERPRISES</u>			
35		<u>NON-CLASSIFIED POSITIONS</u>			
36	(142)	Head Basketball Coach	2	\$129,798	\$132,394

1	(143)	Director of Athletics	1	\$121,663	\$124,096
2	(144)	Director of Special Events Center	1	\$80,514	\$82,124
3	(145)	Project/Program Administrators	8		
4		Project/Program Director		\$80,480	\$82,090
5		Project/Program Manager		\$72,827	\$74,284
6		Project/Program Specialist		\$62,836	\$64,093
7	(146)	Asst. Athletic Director	4	\$75,366	\$76,873
8	(147)	Head Coach	4	\$75,366	\$76,873
9	(148)	Dir. of Printing Services	1	\$66,962	\$68,301
10	(149)	Assistant Coach	10	\$65,612	\$66,924
11	(150)	Asst. Dir. of Aquatics & Fitness	1	\$63,114	\$64,376
12		<u>TWELVE MONTH AUXILIARY ENTERPRISES</u>			
13		<u>CLASSIFIED POSITIONS</u>			
14	(151)	Printer Supervisor	2		GRADE 18
15	(152)	Printer II	3		GRADE 16
16	(153)	Administrative Assistant I	1		GRADE 15
17	(154)	Administrative Secretary	2		GRADE 14
18	(155)	Student Union Section Manager	1		GRADE 13
19	(156)	Apprentice Tradesman	1		GRADE 11
20	(157)	Secretary I	1		GRADE 11
21	(158)	Shipping & Receiving Clerk	1		GRADE 11
22	(158.1)	Receptionist	1		GRADE 10
23	(159)	Reproduction Equipment Operator	1		GRADE 10
24	(160)	Custodial Supervisor I	1		GRADE 06
25	(161)	Custodial Worker II	4		GRADE 04
26	(162)	Custodial Worker I	5		GRADE 03
27		<u>COLLEGE OF INFO SCIENCES &amp; SYSTEMS ENG</u>			
28		<u>12-MONTH EDUCATIONAL AND GENERAL</u>			
29		<u>ADMINISTRATIVE POSITIONS</u>			
30	(163)	Dean of Engineering-ISSE	1	\$167,418	\$170,766
31	(164)	Associate Dean	1	\$121,203	\$123,627
32	(165)	Assistant Dean	2	\$104,987	\$107,087
33	(166)	Director of Summer Institute	1	\$80,364	\$81,971
34	(167)	Technical Support Staff	10	\$72,829	\$74,286
35	(168)	Academic Counselor	1	\$71,430	\$72,859
36		<u>TWELVE MONTH EDUCATIONAL AND GENERAL</u>			

1	<u>CLASSIFIED POSITIONS</u>			
2	(169)	Administrative Assistant II	3	GRADE 17
3	(170)	Administrative Secretary	2	GRADE 14
4	<u>12-MONTH EDUCATIONAL AND GENERAL</u>			
5	<u>ACADEMIC POSITIONS</u>			
6	(171)	Department Chair	2	\$135,388 \$138,096
7	<u>9-MONTH EDUCATIONAL AND GENERAL</u>			
8	<u>ACADEMIC POSITIONS</u>			
9	(172)	Faculty (9 Month)	12	
10		Professor		\$125,251 \$127,756
11		Associate Professor		\$107,015 \$109,155
12		Assistant Professor		\$103,742 \$105,817
13	(173)	Graduate Assistant	<u>11</u>	\$33,970 \$34,649
14		MAX. NO. OF EMPLOYEES	1,840	

16 SECTION 2. EXTRA HELP - OPERATIONS. There is hereby authorized, for the  
 17 University of Arkansas at Little Rock for the 2007-2009 biennium, the  
 18 following maximum number of part-time or temporary employees, to be known as  
 19 "Extra Help", payable from funds appropriated herein for such purposes: one  
 20 thousand fifty (1,050) temporary or part-time employees, when needed, at  
 21 rates of pay not to exceed those provided in the Uniform Classification and  
 22 Compensation Act, or its successor, or this act for the appropriate  
 23 classification.

25 SECTION 3. APPROPRIATION - STATE OPERATIONS. There is hereby appropriated,  
 26 to the University of Arkansas at Little Rock, to be payable from the  
 27 University of Arkansas at Little Rock Fund, for personal services of the  
 28 University of Arkansas at Little Rock for the biennial period ending June 30,  
 29 2009, the following:

31	ITEM	FISCAL YEARS	
32	<u>NO.</u>	<u>2007-2008</u>	<u>2008-2009</u>
33	(01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$ 50,565,223	\$ 51,245,600
34	(02) PERSONAL SERV MATCHING	<u>9,667,570</u>	<u>9,833,986</u>
35	TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u>\$ 60,232,793</u>	<u>\$ 61,079,586</u>

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1 SECTION 4. APPROPRIATIONS - CASH FUNDS. There is hereby appropriated, to  
 2 the University of Arkansas at Little Rock, to be payable from cash funds as  
 3 defined by Arkansas Code 19-4-801 of the University of Arkansas at Little  
 4 Rock, for personal services and operating expenses of the University of  
 5 Arkansas at Little Rock for the biennial period ending June 30, 2009, the  
 6 following:

ITEM NO.	FISCAL YEARS	
	2007-2008	2008-2009
(01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$ 71,400,000	\$ 72,828,000
(02) EXTRA HELP	10,000,000	10,000,000
(03) OVERTIME	1,000,000	1,000,000
(04) PERSONAL SERV MATCHING	20,400,000	20,808,000
(05) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION		
(A) OPER. EXPENSE	40,000,000	40,000,000
(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	5,000,000	5,000,000
(C) PROF. FEES	10,000,000	10,000,000
(D) CAP. OUTLAY	30,000,000	30,000,000
(E) DATA PROC.	1,000,000	1,000,000
(06) CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS	60,000,000	60,000,000
(07) DEBT SERVICE	10,000,000	10,000,000
(08) FUND TRANS/REFUND/ INVESTMENTS	40,000,000	40,000,000
(09) PROMOTIONAL ITEMS	200,000	200,000
(10) CONTINGENCY	<u>40,000,000</u>	<u>40,000,000</u>
TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u>\$ 339,000,000</u>	<u>\$ 340,836,000</u>

27 SECTION 5. APPROPRIATION - WILLIAM H. BOWEN SCHOOL OF LAW. There is hereby  
 28 appropriated, to the University of Arkansas at Little Rock, to be payable  
 29 from the University of Arkansas at Little Rock Fund, from special revenues  
 30 received from additional uniform filing fees in circuit court as authorized  
 31 by Arkansas Code Annotated 16-10-314, for expenses of the University of  
 32 Arkansas at Little Rock - William H. Bowen School of Law for the biennial  
 33 period ending June 30, 2009, the following:

ITEM NO.	FISCAL YEARS	
	2007-2008	2008-2009

1 (01) WILLIAM H. BOWEN SCHOOL OF  
 2 LAW EXPENSES \$ 800,000 \$ 800,000

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 4 SECTION 6. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS  
 5 CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. SPECIAL  
 6 ALLOWANCES. For the purpose of providing necessary allowances for housing  
 7 and other unusual expenses incurred by or in behalf of the athletic director,  
 8 assistant athletic directors, head coaches, and assistant coaches at the  
 9 University of Arkansas at Little Rock, the Board of Trustees may make special  
 10 allowances available therefor in such amounts as the Board of Trustees may  
 11 determine as justified, an equitable allowance in view of the unusual and  
 12 exacting duties of said athletic director, assistant athletic directors, head  
 13 coaches, and assistant coaches, and for the purpose of providing such  
 14 allowances, the Board of Trustees is authorized to expend from the auxiliary  
 15 income of the University of Arkansas at Little Rock, which is derived from  
 16 athletic event receipts, an amount not to exceed twenty thousand dollars  
 17 (\$20,000) in the aggregate for such purposes during each year of the ~~2005-~~  
 18 ~~2007~~ 2007-2009 biennium for the athletic director and head coaches, and ten  
 19 thousand dollars (\$10,000) in the aggregate for such purposes during the  
 20 ~~2005-2007~~ 2007-2009 biennium for the assistant athletic directors and  
 21 assistant coaches. Provided that any such allowances shall be in addition to  
 22 the regular salary of such athletic director, assistant athletic directors,  
 23 head coaches and assistant coaches, as established herein provided that the  
 24 amount of such allowance shall not exceed ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) per  
 25 annum for any one salaried position. Further, if the special allowance funds  
 26 authorized herein are utilized the University of Arkansas at Little Rock  
 27 shall report annually to the Legislative Joint Auditing Committee the exact  
 28 disposition of those special allowances funds.

29 The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, ~~2005~~  
 30 2007 through June 30, ~~2007~~ 2009.

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 32 SECTION 7. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS  
 33 CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. SALARY  
 34 ADJUSTMENTS. Due to the highly competitive nature of the employment market  
 35 in central Arkansas the institution shall be authorized to employ new  
 36 candidates or retain current employees at rates of pay not to exceed Pay

1 Level III for the following classifications:

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3 <u>Class Code</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Grade</u>
4 <u>R329</u>	<u>Payroll Service Specialist</u>	<u>18</u>
5 <u>A108</u>	<u>Accounting Technician II</u>	<u>15</u>
6 <u>V043</u>	<u>Shipping and Receiving Clerk</u>	<u>11</u>
7 <u>K014</u>	<u>Library Academic Tech III</u>	<u>12</u>
8 <u>K012</u>	<u>Academic Library Tech II</u>	<u>8</u>
9 <u>G039</u>	<u>Custodial Worker Supervisor</u>	<u>8</u>
10 <u>G035</u>	<u>Custodial Worker II</u>	<u>4</u>
11 <u>G171</u>	<u>Custodial Worker I</u>	<u>3</u>
12 <u>G175</u>	<u>Maintenance Worker II</u>	<u>5</u>
13 <u>G173</u>	<u>Maintenance Worker I</u>	<u>4</u>

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15 The institution shall report all such salary adjustments to the State Office  
 16 of Personnel Management (Higher Education Section) not later than the pay  
 17 period following such action and the Office of Personnel Management shall in  
 18 turn report such actions to the Uniform Personnel Committee at the next  
 19 scheduled meeting. Authority under this section shall be subject to audit by  
 20 both the Office of Personnel Management and the Legislative Council and may  
 21 be rescinded for improper use or application. The provisions of this section  
 22 shall be in effect only from July 1, 2007 through June 30, 2009.

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24 SECTION 8. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS  
 25 CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. FUND  
 26 BALANCES. The Board of Trustees in its official governing capacity charged  
 27 with the management or control of the institution of higher learning and the  
 28 President or Chancellor as the Chief Executive shall certify to the Chief  
 29 Fiscal Officer of the State and the Legislative Council that as of December  
 30 31 of each year that sufficient appropriations and funds are available, or  
 31 will become available, to meet all current and anticipated obligations during  
 32 the fiscal year for the payment of the obligations when they become due.  
 33 This certification, signed by the Chair of the Board of Trustees and the  
 34 President or Chancellor will be forwarded by February 28 of each year or upon  
 35 release of the previous year's audit by Legislative Audit to the Chief Fiscal  
 36 Officer of the State and the Legislative Council accompanied by the Board

1 approved published annual financial statement for the preceding fiscal year.

2 The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, 2005  
3 2007 through June 30, ~~2007~~ 2009.

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5 SECTION 9. COMPLIANCE WITH OTHER LAWS. Disbursement of funds authorized  
6 by this act shall be limited to the appropriation for such agency and funds  
7 made available by law for the support of such appropriations; and the  
8 restrictions of the State Procurement Law, the General Accounting and  
9 Budgetary Procedures Law, the Revenue Stabilization Law, the Regular Salary  
10 Procedures and Restrictions Act, the Higher Education Expenditures  
11 Restrictions Act, or their successors, and other fiscal control laws of this  
12 State, where applicable, and regulations promulgated by the Department of  
13 Finance and Administration, as authorized by law, shall be strictly complied  
14 with in disbursement of said funds.

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16 SECTION 10. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General Assembly  
17 that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations contained  
18 in this act shall be in compliance with the stated reasons for which this act  
19 was adopted, as evidenced by the Agency Requests, Executive Recommendations  
20 and Legislative Recommendations contained in the budget manuals prepared by  
21 the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or summarized oral  
22 testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative Council or  
23 Joint Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption.

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25 SECTION 11. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General  
26 Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas prohibits the  
27 appropriation of funds for more than a two (2) year period; that the  
28 effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 2007 is essential to the operation of  
29 the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided, and that in  
30 the event of an extension of the Regular Session, the delay in the effective  
31 date of this Act beyond July 1, 2007 could work irreparable harm upon the  
32 proper administration and provision of essential governmental programs.  
33 Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act being  
34 necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and  
35 safety shall be in full force and effect from and after July 1, 2007.

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